made to send substitutes in such cases. He also requested that satisfactory arrangements be made to recruit trained teachers for all the schools. He similarly suggested the improvement of the Inspectorate in general both in respect of quality as well as the number of hands.

With regard to primary education, he suggested that Government must make liberal grants in addition to the funds which were to be provided under the Act by the District Boards concerned. Otherwise, he did not see any hope of primary education progressing in the State.

He was thankful to the Government for making liberal grants for providing medical aid in rural parts. He agreed that nowhere else in India was so much being done by the Government in this direction. But he was sorry that the Unani system of medicine was almost neglected in the State. The grant made to it was stationary for many years past. The Government would do well to give very much more encouragement to both the Unani and the Ayurvedic systems of medicine and they must also encourage trained men to settle down in villages by giving them suitable subventions.

In conclusion, he requested that the Government should practically overhaul the Agricultural Department, particularly with regard to the subordinate executive staff. He complained that thei Inspectors and Fieldmen did not mix wth the raiyats as freely as they should. This was why they had not enlisted the sympathy and co-operation of the raiyats generally. It should be the duty of the Inspectors to go to each village and show to the raiyats by practical demonstration that the system of cultivation suggested by the department was sure to benefit them.

The House adjourned at 5-5 p.m., to meet again at 12 of the clock the following day.

FOURTH DAY.

Tuesday, 14th June 1938.

The House reassembled at the Jagan Mohan Palace Pavilion, on Tuesday, 14th June 1938, at 12 of the clock, Mr. President (*Amin-ul-Mulk* Sir Mirza M. Ismail, K.C.I.E., O.B.E., Dewan) in the Chair.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS—*contd.*

Restoration of Undinal-Hosakere Tank, Arsikere Taluk.

Q.—26. **Mr. MARULA SIDDAPPA,** Arsikere Taluk, and all the other members of Hassan District.—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) how long is it since the tank of Undinal-Hosakere in Arsikere Taluk breached;

(*b*) for what reason has its restoration not been taken up;

(*c*) whether the non-restoration has not resulted in loss of revenue in respect of wet lands below the tank?

A.—**The SECRETARY to GOVERNMENT, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Diwan Bahadur N. N. Ayyangar)**

(*a*) The tank breached in 1932.

(*b*) The subject has been under correspondence with the Revenue Department.

The work has been included in the programme of works to be taken up during 1938-39.

(*c*) The answer is in the affirmative.

Mr. MARULA SIDDAPPA.—Why was the work of restoration of this tank delayed since 1932?

Mr. N. N. AYYANGAR.—The tank had once breached in 1902 and the raiyats did their portion of the work. In 1932, once again it breached and